

CIVIL COVER SHEET

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I. (a) PLAINTIFFS

Center for Media Justice; American Civil Liberties Union; American Civil Liberties Union Foundation

(b) County of Residence of First Listed Plaintiff
(EXCEPT IN U.S. PLAINTIFF CASES)

(c) Attorneys (Firm Name, Address, and Telephone Number)
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DEFENDANTS

Federal Bureau of Investigation; U.S. Department of Justice

County of Residence of First Listed Defendant
(IN U.S. PLAINTIFF CASES ONLY)

NOTE: IN LAND CONDEMNATION CASES, USE THE LOCATION OF THE TRACT OF LAND INVOLVED.

Attorneys (If Known)

II. BASIS OF JURISDICTION (Place an "X" in One Box Only)

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| <input type="checkbox"/> 1 U.S. Government Plaintiff | <input type="checkbox"/> 3 Federal Question (U.S. Government Not a Party) |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 2 U.S. Government Defendant | <input type="checkbox"/> 4 Diversity (Indicate Citizenship of Parties in Item III) |

III. CITIZENSHIP OF PRINCIPAL PARTIES (Place an "X" in One Box for Plaintiff and One Box for Defendant)
(For Diversity Cases Only)

| PTF | DEF | PTF | DEF |
|---|----------------------------|---|----------------------------|
| Citizen of This State | <input type="checkbox"/> 1 | Incorporated or Principal Place of Business In This State | <input type="checkbox"/> 4 |
| Citizen of Another State | <input type="checkbox"/> 2 | Incorporated and Principal Place of Business In Another State | <input type="checkbox"/> 5 |
| Citizen or Subject of a Foreign Country | <input type="checkbox"/> 3 | Foreign Nation | <input type="checkbox"/> 6 |

IV. NATURE OF SUIT (Place an "X" in One Box Only)

| CONTRACT | TORTS | FORFEITURE/PENALTY | BANKRUPTCY | OTHER STATUTES |
|---|--|--|---|--|
| 110 Insurance | PERSONAL INJURY | PERSONAL INJURY | 625 Drug Related Seizure of Property 21 USC § 881 | 375 False Claims Act |
| 120 Marine | 310 Airplane | 365 Personal Injury – Product Liability | 422 Appeal 28 USC § 158 | 376 Qui Tam (31 USC § 3729(a)) |
| 130 Miller Act | 315 Airplane Product Liability | 367 Health Care/Pharmaceutical Personal Injury Product Liability | 423 Withdrawal 28 USC § 157 | 400 State Reapportionment |
| 140 Negotiable Instrument | 320 Assault, Libel & Slander | 330 Federal Employers' Liability | | 410 Antitrust |
| 150 Recovery of Overpayment Of Veteran's Benefits | 340 Marine | 345 Marine Product Liability | | 430 Banks and Banking |
| 151 Medicare Act | 350 Motor Vehicle | 355 Motor Vehicle Product Liability | | 450 Commerce |
| 152 Recovery of Defaulted Student Loans (Excludes Veterans) | 360 Other Personal Injury | 370 Other Fraud | 710 Fair Labor Standards Act | 460 Deportation |
| 153 Recovery of Overpayment of Veteran's Benefits | 362 Personal Injury -Medical Malpractice | 371 Truth in Lending | 720 Labor/Management Relations | 470 Racketeer Influenced & Corrupt Organizations |
| 160 Stockholders' Suits | | 380 Other Personal Property Damage | 740 Railway Labor Act | 480 Consumer Credit |
| 190 Other Contract | | 385 Property Damage Product Liability | 751 Family and Medical Leave Act | 490 Cable/Sat TV |
| 195 Contract Product Liability | | | 790 Other Labor Litigation | 850 Securities/Commodities/ Exchange |
| 196 Franchise | CIVIL RIGHTS | PRISONER PETITIONS | 791 Employee Retirement Income Security Act | 890 Other Statutory Actions |
| REAL PROPERTY | 440 Other Civil Rights | HABEAS CORPUS | | 891 Agricultural Acts |
| 210 Land Condemnation | 441 Voting | 463 Alien Detainee | 462 Naturalization Application | 893 Environmental Matters |
| 220 Foreclosure | 442 Employment | 510 Motions to Vacate Sentence | 465 Other Immigration Actions | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 895 Freedom of Information Act |
| 230 Rent Lease & Ejectment | 443 Housing/ Accommodations | 530 General | | 896 Arbitration |
| 240 Torts to Land | 445 Amer. w/Disabilities– Employment | 535 Death Penalty | 870 Taxes (U.S. Plaintiff or Defendant) | 899 Administrative Procedure Act/Review or Appeal of Agency Decision |
| 245 Tort Product Liability | 446 Amer. w/Disabilities–Other | OTHER | 871 IRS–Third Party 26 USC § 7609 | 950 Constitutionality of State Statutes |
| 290 All Other Real Property | 448 Education | 540 Mandamus & Other | | |
| | | 550 Civil Rights | | |
| | | 555 Prison Condition | | |
| | | 560 Civil Detainee– Conditions of Confinement | | |

V. ORIGIN (Place an "X" in One Box Only)

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 1 Original Proceeding | <input type="checkbox"/> 2 Removed from State Court | <input type="checkbox"/> 3 Remanded from Appellate Court | <input type="checkbox"/> 4 Reinstated or Reopened | <input type="checkbox"/> 5 Transferred from Another District (specify) _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> 6 Multidistrict Litigation–Transfer | <input type="checkbox"/> 8 Multidistrict Litigation–Direct File |
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VI. CAUSE OF ACTION Cite the U.S. Civil Statute under which you are filing (Do not cite jurisdictional statutes unless diversity):
5 U.S.C. § 552

Brief description of cause:

Complaint for injunctive relief under Freedom of Information Act

VII. REQUESTED IN COMPLAINT: CHECK IF THIS IS A CLASS ACTION UNDER RULE 23, Fed. R. Civ. P.

DEMAND \$ _____

CHECK YES only if demanded in complaint:
JURY DEMAND: Yes No

VIII. RELATED CASE(S), IF ANY (See instructions):

JUDGE _____

DOCKET NUMBER _____

IX. DIVISIONAL ASSIGNMENT (Civil Local Rule 3-2)

(Place an "X" in One Box Only)

SAN FRANCISCO/OAKLAND

SAN JOSE

EUREKA-MCKINLEYVILLE

DATE 03/21/2019

SIGNATURE OF ATTORNEY OF RECORD

/s/ Christine Sun